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B. Elkins."

REV. SAM SMALL may find himself looking through the bars for his libelous propensities as editor.

PARKHURST, the New York preacher, who lost sight, for the moment, of the spiritual good of his fellow man for their temporal well-being, and took up the cudgels for purity of politics, has become thereby one of the celebrities of the day. He writes for the Ladies Home Journal, even, so you know he must be good and great. We do not think he would be a pleasant man to live with, however. One would take him to be a harsh, repellant man of a decidedly misanthropic turn, with a morbid ambition to rule the world. Those who would become an ideal Parkhurst must needs grow hard and cold, become a preacher, feed on erally believed, can have the plum ox gall, spider's legs, toad skins, if he wants it. The New Mexico etc., and then pitch into some department of a city government. He will find it rotten enough. No but the machine and his wealth fear of that, Finally he will die still thirsting for sinful blood. Such a man may be great but he ought to be run by machinery. He is a typical tyrant.

THE incorporation of our town has been suggested. What makes it impracticable is that the houses and lots of the town are nearly all owned by non-residents, who may be expected to retaliate in the way of rents if their tenants put a municipal tax upon them. The landowners have shown the people of the place every conceivable kindness, and in fact the life of the infant town depends upon them, and it would not be a very just, not to say safe, return to incorporate the Clark Recorder, and J. K. Bright, village unless they are willing that G. W. Callison, E. H. Moore, E. I. First-Rate Teams and Saddleit should be incorporated. hasten to correct the impression that has got abroad that it must be incorporated by the Legislature, which would necessitate immediate action, or a delay of two years; until the Supreme Court declares the present law unconstitutional, which is not apprehended, the Circuit Court can incorporate the vilyear. The question will be discussed in a public meeting at the school-house on Friday evening at 7 o'clock, and the citizens should be present to present their views.

REMEMBER this, although the snow Is pretty fine to see, you know, It brings great evils in its train,

Enough to make a bard complain. From cold wet feet the system thrills With forty different sorts of chills; Gigantic grow the doctor bills,

For sweet relief and potent pills; The drifting flakes the valley fills; A man slips up on glassy hills;

More empty grow the poor menstills While they look pale about the gills;

trills. The goose bemoans his missing quills;

mills A single thought this song in-

The subject wants in rhymes to portray.

THE gentlemen who have writen letters declaring their candidacy for the Senatorship are Mr. Whittaker, of Wheeling, Mr. Hutchinson, of Huntington, Mr. Floyd, of Charleston, and Mr Sturgiss, of Morgantown. These are the gentlemen who are pitted against Elkins, and a pool of their interests will make a lively time of

THE compulsory school law recently gone into effect in New York is causing a great deal of dissatisfaction. Parents are liable to a fine of five cents a day if their children are absent. Say the boy is worth twenty-five cents a day, the father hires him from the State for five cents and comes out twenty cents ahead.

Another Candidate.-The under-current against the pretensions of Mr Elkins to a seat in the United States Senate from West Virginia is very strong and steadily growing in the Republican party in every part of the State. The latest formidable opponent of the carpet-bagger millionaire is Hon. John B. Floyd, of Kanawha, who is confident of success and will certainly command a considerable following in the Legislature. This makes the fifth full fledged candidate in the field against Elkins, not counting Gen. Goff, who, it is genstatesman is bound to have very hard sliding, if he gets through at all. He has absolutely nothing back of him .- Wheeling Register.

Hillsboro.

Last week all the ice houses in this neighborhood were filled with ice of excellent quality, many blocks being 10 and 12 inches thick. Dur ing the hot months of summer noth ing contributes more to our comfort and enjoyment than ice, and it is strange so many people do not sup ply themselves with this luxury.

We are glad to state that Mrs Eva Ligon McNeel who is quite ill with pneumonia is in a fair way to recover. She has good medical attention, and we hope to hear soon of her complete restoration to health.

The municipal election held bere last Thursday resulted in the election of the following officers for '95 Dr. C. W. Eskridge, Mayor, J. H. We Holt, and G. L. Clark, Councilmen.

S. J. Payne is cutting all the tim ber off his place that will make lum ber. He expects to have enough for 150 or 200,000 ft. During the present year he will put up a large store building, in our town, and a barn and a dwelling house on his farm. Such a spirit of improvement we gladly welcome.

Mr. E. I. Holt's stock of goods. which passed into the hands lage at any of its three terms per of a receiver some time ago has been sold privately and a new firm will start up soon at the same stand. We haven't as get learned the name of the new firm.

Squire W. H. Grose, of Huntersville was in town last Saturday on official business.

Not many people living in Hills boro or in the surrounding country have visited or even heard of the The only store in the county mak Hawk's Nest. This wonder of na ture is about two miles from town, a short drive or walk. It is situated on the west side of the Greenbrier river, and commands a magnificent view of that beautiful stream, whose waters almost break upon its rugged base, and wind like a silver thread through the grand old hills of Pocahontas. The Hawk's Nest consists of a wonderful cliff of rocks, towering perhaps The doctors gloat o'er human ills, two hundred feet high, and from And lawyers dote on drawing wills whose summit you can look down The storm puts on its blooming frills on the tops of tall trees, and out on And every hundredth man it kills; a panorama of mountain scenery inconceivably grand. Projecting The song-bird long has ceased his ledges of rock, clambering vines and pine shrubery adorn its massive sides, and at this season of the year partly covered with snow and glittering icicles present a scene of The snow has choked the laughing wild and pictuesque beauty. It is useless for us to attempt to give an And drifts on roads that lead to adequate discription of the natural scenery of the Hawk's Nest. To all lovers of the beautiful in nature, we would say visit it and look upon a scene that no words of man can "JENKINS"

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